

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : Glenn D. Kirwin et al.

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Group Art Unit: 3624

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Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed

August 16, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application, applicants respectfully request consideration of the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

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